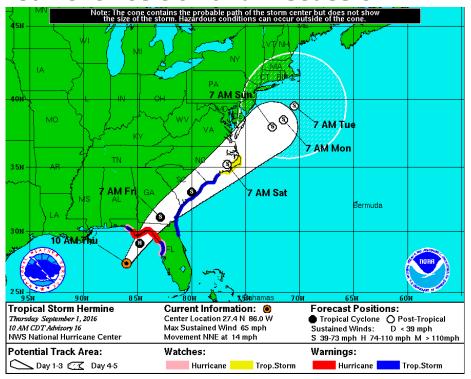


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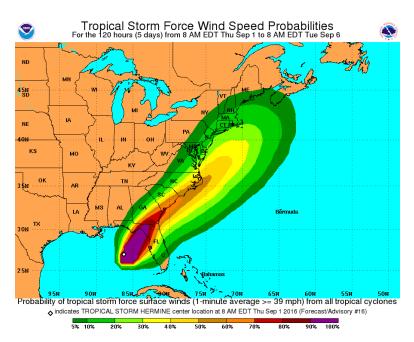
Current Position and Discussion



Key Points

- Hermine is expected to make landfall as a hurricane tonight in the Florida Big Bend.
- Potentially life-threatening storm surge is expected along the Big Bend coast.
- Significant impacts from strong winds are expected throughout the Big Bend into South Central Georgia.
- Any final preparations need to be completed early today before the arrival of tropical storm force winds.

Wind Speed Probabilities



Timing:

- Tropical storm force winds are expected to reach our offshore marine area this morning and spread along the Big Bend and eastern
 Panhandle coastline from this afternoon through tonight.
- Hurricane force sustained winds are possible tonight near the coast with hurricane force gusts further inland in the Big Bend.









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Tropical Storm Hermine – Storm Surge & Impact Assessment



 This graphic represents areas that are under a prototype storm surge warning where at least 3 feet of inundation should be planned for.

None Elevated Hod High Extreme Updated 05 am Thu Sep 01 Storm Surge Threat - NWS Tallahassee FL 5 am EDT, September 1, 2016 Storm Tide None 0-1 feet above ground Elevated 1 to 3 feet above ground Moderate 3 to 6 feet above ground Moderate 6 to 9 feet above ground Figure 6 to 9 feet above ground

Greater than 9 feet above ground

Impact Assessment:

- A High threat of inundation is forecast for the Florida Big Bend coastline where 5 to 8 feet of inundation is possible along the coast from the Ochlockonee River to Steinhatchee. 4 to 6 feet of inundation is possible elsewhere in the Big Bend, with 1 to 3 feet of inundation possible in the Panhandle.
- Follow any evacuation orders from your local government officials.

Timing:

 Storm surge flooding could begin early this afternoon with maximum inundation overnight and early Friday.









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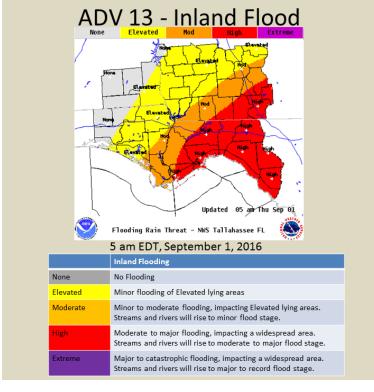
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Tropical Storm Hermine – Inland Hazards & Impact Assessment





Impact Assessment:

- Tropical storm force winds are <u>likely</u> across much of the Florida Big Bend into South Central Georgia. Sustained hurricane force winds are possible along the Big Bend coast with gusts to hurricane force possible for the inland Big Bend.
- Given the extensive tree canopy in the region, these winds may lead to widespread power outages, potentially lasting for several days. Numerous roads may also be blocked by fallen trees.
- Widespread storm total rainfall of 5-10 inches with isolated spots up to 15 inches.
- This would cause minor to moderate flooding across the Florida Big Bend and South Central Georgia. The locally heavier amounts could lead to life-threatening Flash Floods.
- SPC indicates a slight risk of tornadoes on Thursday for the Big Bend and parts of GA.







